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THIRTY-NINTH LEGISLATIVE DAY  
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2022

House of Representatives

The House convened at 10:30 a.m., the Speaker in the Chair.

Roll call showed 68 members present.

Absent and excused - Addis and Wood(Critchfield). Total - 2.  
Total - 70.

Prayer was offered by Chaplain Tom Dougherty.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Quinten Carney, Page.

### 3RD ORDER

#### Approval of Journal

February 17, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, RULES, AND ADMINISTRATION, report that we have read and approved the House Journal of the Thirty-eighth Legislative Day and recommend that same be adopted as corrected.

CHANEY, Chairman

Mr. Chaney moved that the report be adopted. Seconded by Mr. Gannon. Report adopted.

### 4TH ORDER

#### Consideration of Messages from the Governor and the Senate

THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

#### CERTIFICATE OF APPOINTMENT

**KNOW ALL MEN**, that pursuant to the provisions of Section 59-917, Idaho Code, BROOKE GREEN, State Representative, District 18, Seat B, Ada County, State of Idaho, has nominated, SAKENA LESMEISTER, of 2473 Mariner Way, Boise, Idaho 83706, to perform the duties of this office temporarily as Acting State Representative, District 18, Seat B.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRAD LITTLE**, Governor of the State of Idaho, by virtue of the authority vested in me do hereby appoint Sakena Lesmeister of Boise, Idaho, to the office of Acting State Representative, District 18, Seat B, for a term commencing February 16, 2022 through February 18, 2022.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this 16th day of February, in the year of our Lord two thousand and twenty-two, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the two hundred

and forty-sixth year and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred and thirty-second year.

/s/ BRAD LITTLE

Governor

/s/ LAWERENCE DENNEY

Secretary of State

The Certificate of Appointment was ordered filed in the office of the Chief Clerk.

The Speaker announced the oath of office had previously been administered to Sakena Lesmeister.

February 16, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

I transmit herewith [S 1280](#) which has passed the Senate.

NOVAK, Secretary

[S 1280](#) was filed for first reading.

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At this time, the Speaker put the House at ease for the House Page program.

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Prior to going at ease, the House was at the Fourth Order of Business.

### 5TH ORDER

#### Report of Standing Committees

Mr. Nate asked, pursuant to Rule 17, that [H 448](#) be reported forthwith out of the Ways and Means Committee to which it had been referred.

Mr. Amador moved that the committee be excused. Seconded by Mr. Monks.

The question being, "Shall the motion carry?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Amador, Andrus, Armstrong(Armstrong), Blanksma, Bundy, Burns, Cannon, Chew, Clow, Crane, DeMordaunt, Dixon, Erickson, Furniss, Galloway, Gannon, Gibbs, Green(Lesmeister), Harris, Hartgen, Holtzclaw, Horman, Kauffman, Kerby, Lickley, Manwaring, Marshall, Mathias, McCann, McCrostie, Mendive, Mitchell, Monks, Moyle, Nash, Necochea, Okuniewicz, Palmer, Rubel, Ruchti(Roberts), Skaug, Syme, Toone, Troy, Vander Woude, Weber, Wisniewski, Yamamoto, Young, Youngblood, Mr. Speaker. Total - 52.

NAYS—Barbieri, Berch, Boyle, Christensen, Ferch, Gestrin, Giddings, Hanks, Moon, Nate, Nichols, Scott. Total - 12.

Absent—Addis, Chaney, Ehardt, Kingsley, Shepherd, Wood(Critchfield). Total - 6.

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared the motion carried and the committee was excused.

February 17, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, RULES AND ADMINISTRATION, report that we have printed [H 645](#), [H 646](#), [H 647](#), [H 648](#), [H 649](#), [H 650](#), [H 651](#), [H 652](#), [H 653](#), [H 654](#), [H 655](#), [H 656](#), [H 657](#), and [H 658](#).

CHANEY, Chairman

[H 657](#) was filed for second reading.

[H 645](#), [H 646](#), and [H 647](#) were referred to the State Affairs Committee.

[H 648](#) was referred to the Revenue and Taxation Committee.

[H 649](#), [H 650](#), [H 651](#), [H 652](#), [H 653](#), [H 654](#), [H 655](#), and [H 656](#) were referred to the Education Committee.

[H 658](#) was referred to the Judiciary, Rules and Administration Committee.

February 17, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, RULES AND ADMINISTRATION, report that we have enrolled [H 445](#).

CHANEY, Chairman

The Speaker announced he was about to sign enrolled [H 445](#) and, when so signed, ordered it transmitted to the Senate for the signature of the President.

February 16, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON STATE AFFAIRS, report that we have had under consideration [H 607](#) and report it back without recommendation.

CRANE, Chairman

[H 607](#) was filed for second reading.

February 16, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT, report that we have had under consideration [H 575](#) and recommend that it do pass.

MENDIVE, Chairman

[H 575](#) was filed for second reading.

February 16, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE, report that we have had under consideration [H 476](#), [H 477](#), [H 478](#), [H 523](#), [H 524](#), [H 525](#), and [H 571](#) and recommend that they do pass.

PALMER, Chairman

[H 476](#), [H 477](#), [H 478](#), [H 523](#), [H 524](#), [H 525](#), and [H 571](#) were filed for second reading.

February 16, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION AND DEFENSE, report that we have had under consideration [H 475](#) and report it back without recommendation.

PALMER, Chairman

[H 475](#) was filed for second reading.

February 17, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND WELFARE, report that we have had under consideration [H 562](#) and [H 603](#) and recommend that they do pass.

WOOD, Chairman

[H 562](#) and [H 603](#) were filed for second reading.

February 17, 2022

Mr. Speaker:

We, your COMMITTEE ON STATE AFFAIRS, report that we have had under consideration [H 532](#) and [S 1262](#) and recommend that they do pass.

CRANE, Chairman

[H 532](#) and [S 1262](#) were filed for second reading.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the Eighth Order of Business.

## 8TH ORDER

### Introduction, First Reading, and Reference of Bills and Joint Resolutions

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 659 BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

##### AN ACT

RELATING TO ELECTION REGISTERS; AMENDING SECTION 34-433, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING THE MONTHLY CORRECTION OF ELECTION REGISTERS FROM REPORTED DEATHS; AMENDING SECTION 34-434, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING NOTICES AND CORRESPONDENCE RELATING TO CORRECTION OF ELECTION REGISTERS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 660 BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

##### AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE; AMENDING TITLE 39, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW CHAPTER 97, TITLE 39, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADOPTION OF THE IDAHO ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR APPROVAL OF THE IDAHO ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE BY THE IDAHO BUILDING CODE BOARD AND THE LEGISLATURE, TO PROVIDE FOR PREEMPTION, AND TO CLARIFY AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AMENDING SECTION 39-4109, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR THE DIVISION OF OCCUPATIONAL AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSES, TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADOPTION OF THE 2018 INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE, THE 2018 INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTIAL CODE, AND THE IDAHO ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE AND TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING APPLICATION OF CODES; AMENDING SECTION 39-4116, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADOPTION OF THE 2018 INTERNATIONAL BUILDING CODE, THE 2018 INTERNATIONAL RESIDENTIAL CODE, AND THE IDAHO ENERGY CONSERVATION CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING ADOPTION OF CERTAIN CODES, AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 661 BY APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

##### AN ACT

RELATING TO THE APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND WELFARE FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022; APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL MONEYS TO THE DIVISION OF MEDICAID FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022; REDUCING THE APPROPRIATION TO THE DIVISION OF MEDICAID FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022;

APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL MONEYS TO THE DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022; APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL MONEYS TO THE DIVISION OF PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITALIZATION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022; REDUCING THE APPROPRIATION TO THE DIVISION OF PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITALIZATION FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022; APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL MONEYS TO THE DIVISION OF INDEPENDENT COUNCILS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2022; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 662**  
**BY REVENUE AND TAXATION COMMITTEE**  
AN ACT

RELATING TO SALES; AMENDING SECTION 63-3620, IDAHO CODE, TO REQUIRE SELLERS TO ACCEPT CASH AS A METHOD OF PAYMENT ALONG WITH ANY OTHER ACCEPTED METHODS OF PAYMENT IN CERTAIN INSTANCES, TO PROVIDE AN EXCEPTION, TO DEFINE A TERM, AND TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CORRECTION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 663**  
**BY REVENUE AND TAXATION COMMITTEE**  
AN ACT

RELATING TO PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS; AMENDING SECTION 63-602NN, IDAHO CODE, TO REVISE PROVISIONS REGARDING PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR CERTAIN BUSINESS PROPERTY; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**HOUSE BILL NO. 664**  
**BY HEALTH AND WELFARE COMMITTEE**  
AN ACT

RELATING TO THE AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERSTATE COMPACT; AMENDING CHAPTER 29, TITLE 54, IDAHO CODE, BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION 54-2918A, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR THE AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY INTERSTATE COMPACT; AMENDING SECTION 54-2912, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF FINGERPRINTS AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AMENDING SECTION 54-2913, IDAHO CODE, TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF FINGERPRINTS AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

[H 659](#), [H 660](#), [H 661](#), [H 662](#), [H 663](#), and [H 664](#) were introduced, read the first time by title, and referred to the Judiciary, Rules, and Administration Committee for printing.

[S 1280](#), by Education Committee, was introduced, read the first time by title, and referred to the Education Committee.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the Tenth Order of Business.

**10TH ORDER**  
**Second Reading of Bills and Joint Resolutions**

[H 631](#), by State Affairs Committee, was read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 634](#), by Appropriations Committee, was read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 519](#) and [H 520](#), by Resources and Conservation Committee, were read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 473](#) and [H 581](#), by Business Committee, were read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 551](#), [H 552](#), and [H 553](#), by Commerce and Human Resources Committee, were read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 540](#), [H 560](#), and [H 598](#), by Judiciary, Rules and Administration Committee, were read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[H 601](#), by Health and Welfare Committee, was read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

[S 1255](#), by Education Committee, was read the second time by title and filed for third reading.

**11TH ORDER**  
**Third Reading of Bills and Joint Resolutions**

**[H 530](#) - IDAHO HOP GROWER'S COMMISSION**

[H 530](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Mr. Mathias to open debate.

The question being, "Shall [H 530](#) pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Amador, Andrus, Armstrong(Armstrong), Barbieri, Berch, Blanksma, Boyle, Bundy, Burns, Cannon, Chew, Christensen, Clow, Crane, DeMordaunt, Dixon, Erickson, Ferch, Furniss, Galloway, Gannon, Gestrin, Gibbs, Giddings, Green(Lesmeister), Hanks, Harris, Hartgen, Holtzclaw, Horman, Kauffman, Kerby, Kingsley, Lickley, Manwaring, Marshall, Mathias, McCann, McCrostie, Mendive, Mitchell, Monks, Moon, Moyle, Nash, Nate, Necochea, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Palmer, Rubel, Ruchti(Roberts), Scott, Shepherd, Skaug, Syme, Toone, Troy, Vander Woude, Weber, Wisniewski, Yamamoto, Young, Youngblood, Mr. Speaker. Total - 66.

NAYS—None.

Absent—Addis, Chaney, Ehardt, Wood(Critchfield). Total - 4.  
Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that [H 530](#) passed the House. Title was approved and the bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

**[H 512](#) - BOND ELECTIONS**

[H 512](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Mrs. Scott to open debate.

The question being, "Shall [H 512](#) pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Addis, Amador, Andrus, Barbieri, Blanksma, Boyle, Bundy, Cannon, Christensen, Clow, Crane, DeMordaunt, Dixon, Ehardt, Erickson, Ferch, Galloway, Gestrin, Giddings, Hanks, Harris, Holtzclaw, Horman, Kingsley, Manwaring,

Marshall, Mendive, Mitchell, Monks, Moon, Moyle, Nate, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Palmer, Scott, Shepherd, Skaug, Vander Woude, Wisniewski, Yamamoto, Young. Total - 43.

NAYS—Armstrong(Armstrong), Berch, Burns, Chaney, Chew, Furniss, Gannon, Gibbs, Green(Lesmeister), Hartgen, Kauffman, Kerby, Lickley, Mathias, McCann, McCrostie, Nash, Necochea, Rubel, Ruchti(Roberts), Syme, Toone, Troy, Weber, Youngblood, Mr. Speaker. Total - 26.

Absent—Wood(Critchfield). Total - 1.

Paired Votes:

AYE - Addis NAY - Chew

(Pairs enumerated in roll call above.)

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that [H 512](#) passed the House. Title was approved and the bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

### [H 522](#) - STATE TREASURER

[H 522](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Mr. Nate to open debate.

Pursuant to Rule 80(3), the following Representative disclosed a conflict of interest regarding [H 522](#):

Mrs. Moon

The question being, "Shall [H 522](#) pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Addis, Amador, Andrus, Armstrong(Armstrong), Barbieri, Blanksma, Boyle, Bundy, Cannon, Chaney, Christensen, Clow, Crane, DeMordaunt, Dixon, Ehardt, Erickson, Ferch, Furniss, Galloway, Gannon, Gestrin, Giddings, Hanks, Harris, Hartgen, Holtzclaw, Horman, Kerby, Kingsley, Lickley, Manwaring, Marshall, McCann, Mendive, Mitchell, Monks, Moon, Moyle, Nate, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Palmer, Scott, Shepherd, Skaug, Syme, Troy, Vander Woude, Weber, Wisniewski, Yamamoto, Young, Mr. Speaker. Total - 55.

NAYS—Berch, Burns, Chew, Gibbs, Green(Lesmeister), Kauffman, Mathias, McCrostie, Nash, Necochea, Rubel, Ruchti(Roberts), Toone, Youngblood. Total - 14.

Absent—Wood(Critchfield). Total - 1.

Paired Votes:

AYE - Addis NAY - Toone

(Pairs enumerated in roll call above.)

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that [H 522](#) passed the House. Title was approved and the bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

### [H 566](#) - PUBLIC INTEGRITY IN ELECTIONS ACT

[H 566](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Mr. Monks to open debate.

The question being, "Shall [H 566](#) pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Amador, Andrus, Armstrong(Armstrong), Barbieri, Berch, Blanksma, Boyle, Bundy, Burns, Cannon,

Chaney, Chew, Christensen, Clow, Crane, DeMordaunt, Dixon, Ehardt, Erickson, Ferch, Furniss, Galloway, Gannon, Gestrin, Gibbs, Giddings, Green(Lesmeister), Hanks, Harris, Hartgen, Holtzclaw, Horman, Kauffman, Kerby, Kingsley, Lickley, Manwaring, Marshall, Mathias, McCann, McCrostie, Mendive, Mitchell, Monks, Moon, Moyle, Nate, Necochea, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Palmer, Rubel, Ruchti(Roberts), Scott, Shepherd, Skaug, Syme, Toone, Troy, Vander Woude, Weber, Wisniewski, Yamamoto, Young, Youngblood, Mr. Speaker. Total - 67.

NAYS—Nash. Total - 1.

Absent—Addis, Wood(Critchfield). Total - 2.

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that [H 566](#) passed the House. Title was approved and the bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

### [H 545](#) - CHARTER SCHOOLS

[H 545](#) was read the third time at length, section by section, and placed before the House for final consideration.

At this time, the Speaker recognized Mrs. Yamamoto to open debate.

Pursuant to Rule 80(3), the following Representatives disclosed a conflict of interest regarding [H 545](#):

Mrs. Yamamoto Ms. Boyle

The question being, "Shall [H 545](#) pass?"

Roll call resulted as follows:

AYES—Adams, Addis, Amador, Andrus, Armstrong(Armstrong), Barbieri, Blanksma, Boyle, Bundy, Burns, Cannon, Chaney, Chew, Christensen, Clow, Crane, DeMordaunt, Dixon, Ehardt, Erickson, Ferch, Furniss, Galloway, Gannon, Gestrin, Gibbs, Giddings, Green(Lesmeister), Hanks, Harris, Hartgen, Holtzclaw, Horman, Kauffman, Kerby, Kingsley, Lickley, Manwaring, Marshall, Mathias, McCann, McCrostie, Mendive, Mitchell, Monks, Moon, Moyle, Nash, Nate, Necochea, Nichols, Okuniewicz, Palmer, Rubel, Ruchti(Roberts), Scott, Shepherd, Skaug, Syme, Toone, Troy, Vander Woude, Weber, Wisniewski, Yamamoto, Young, Youngblood, Mr. Speaker. Total - 68.

NAYS—Berch. Total - 1.

Absent—Wood(Critchfield). Total - 1.

Paired Votes:

AYE - Addis NAY - Berch

(Pairs enumerated in roll call above.)

Total - 70.

Whereupon the Speaker declared that [H 545](#) passed the House. Title was approved and the bill ordered transmitted to the Senate.

Mr. Moyle asked unanimous consent that the remaining bills on the Third Reading Calendar retain their places for one legislative day. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

There being no objection, the House advanced to the Fifteenth Order of Business.

### 15TH ORDER Announcements

Announcements were made to the body.

**16TH ORDER**  
**Adjournment**

Mr. Moyle moved that the House adjourn until 10:30 a.m., Friday, February 18, 2022. Seconded by Ms. Rubel. Motion carried.

Whereupon the Speaker declared the House adjourned at 12:04 p.m.

SCOTT BEDKE, Speaker

ATTEST:

CARRIE MAULIN, Chief Clerk